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USING (D)GPS TECHNOLOGY

## INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.56, 1.97, and 1.98, applicants' undersigned attorney brings to the attention of the Patent and Trademark Office the following references. Copies of the references as well as Form PTO/SB/08A are attached hereto. This is not to be construed as a representation that a search has been made or that a reference is relevant merely because cited.

- U.S. Patent No. 6,320,933 to <u>Grodzins et al.</u> discloses a multiple scatter system for threat identification.
- U.S. Patent No. 5,868,100 to <u>Marsh</u> discloses a fenceless animal control system using GPS location information.
- U.S. Patent No. 6,271,757 to <u>Touchton et al.</u> discloses a satellite animal-containment system with programmable boundaries.
- U.S. Patent No. 6,043,748 to <u>Touchton et al.</u> discloses a satellite relay collar and programmable electronic boundary system for the containment of animals.
- U.S. Patent No. 5,568,119 to <u>Schipper et al.</u> discloses an arrestee monitoring with variable site boundaries.

U.S. Patent No. 5,381,129 to <u>Boardman</u> discloses a wireless pet containment system.

The article entitled "Global Positioning System Fully Operational", by the U.S. Coast Guard Navigation Center, dated July 17, 1995 and revised May 2, 2001, at the Internet website: <a href="http://www.navcen.uscg.gov/gps/geninfo/global.htm">http://www.navcen.uscg.gov/gps/geninfo/global.htm</a>, discloses background information regarding the Global Positioning System (GPS).

The article entitled "MSM3300 Chipset Solution", by Qualcomm Incorporated, at the Internet website: <a href="http://www.cdmatech.com/solutions/pdf/msm3300generation.pdf">http://www.cdmatech.com/solutions/pdf/msm3300generation.pdf</a>, discloses information regarding the MSM3300™ chipset by Qualcomm Incorporated.

The article entitled "Position Location Solutions", by Qualcomm Incorporated, at the Internet website: <a href="http://www.cdmatech.com/solutions/pdf/positionlocation.pdf">http://www.cdmatech.com/solutions/pdf/positionlocation.pdf</a>, discloses information regarding GPS equipment by Qualcomm Incorporated.

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